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#### ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, we, Ralf M. Luche and Bo Wei (hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNORS), having post office addresses of 4028 Northeast 196<sup>th</sup> Court, Seattle, Washington 98155, and 10565 Northeast 137<sup>th</sup> Place, Kirkland, Washington 98034, respectively, are the listed inventors/applicants of the patent application entitled "DSP-12 AND DSP-13 DUAL-SPECIFICITY PHOSPHATASES," as filed with the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on February 1, 2001, and assigned Application No. 09/775,925, and that this application discloses and claims subject matter disclosed in our earlier-filed U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/179,886, filed February 2, 2000.

WHEREAS, CEPTYR, Inc. (hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNEE), a corporation of the State of Delaware having a place of business at 22215 – 26<sup>th</sup> Avenue Southeast, Bothell, Washington 98021, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to the invention and in and to any letters patent that may be granted therefor in the United States and in any and all foreign countries;

NOW, THEREFORE, in exchange for good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, ASSIGNORS hereby sell, assign and transfer unto said ASSIGNEE the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention, said application and any and all letters patent which may be granted for said invention in the United States of America and its territorial possessions and in any and all foreign countries, and in any and all divisions, reissues and continuations thereof, including the right to file foreign applications directly in the name of ASSIGNEE and to claim priority rights deriving from said United States application to which said foreign applications are entitled by virtue of international convention, treaty or otherwise, said invention, application and all letters patent on said invention to be held and enjoyed by ASSIGNEE and its successors and assigns as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by ASSIGNORS had this assignment, transfer and sale not been made. ASSIGNORS hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue all letters patent on said invention to ASSIGNEE. ASSIGNORS agree to execute all instruments and documents required for the making and prosecution of applications for United

States and foreign letters patent on said invention, for litigation regarding letters patent, or for the purpose of protecting title to said invention or letters patent therefor.

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